



*Striving to be “an inviting, Christ centred community
in which people are being transformed to live like Jesus”*

WELCOME

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Scripture Reading: Leviticus 25:1-22

Sermon: “Dust, Breath and Responsibility” —Pastor Corey Hildebrand

THIS WEEK

Sun (20)	10:15am	Worship
Mon (21)	8:00am	Men’s Prayer & Bible Study
Wed (23)	10:00am	Coffee & Conversation

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 3	NO SERVICE
August 10	Harvest Festival Community Worship Service
September 7	Fall Church Kick Off

OUR CHURCH

EMMANUEL KIDS— Emmanuel’s version of Sunday School. Emmanuel uses a strategy for Family Ministry called Orange. **Emmanuel Kids returns in September.**

CHILD PLAYROOM— Children are always welcome in our sanctuary during our service but if they require a separate space to play there is a playroom located through the back north door of the sanctuary and to your left.

ADULT FORMATION— On hiatus until September.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW OFFICE HOURS STARTING JUNE 29—TUESDAY—FRIDAY 8:30AM—4:00PM. Staff hours maybe inconsistent or understaffed over the summer so please call ahead to ensure someone is in the building.

NO SERVICES—AUGUST 3 (Long Weekend) and AUGUST 10 (Harvest Festival Community Worship Service)

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

MCC:

Save the date and join us at the We Are All Treaty People celebration on Sunday, Sept. 14 from 1-4 p.m. at the Forks National Historic Site in Winnipeg. Enjoy performances by Ila Barker, Jacob Brodovsky, Serious Chill, and more! There will be free food, crafts and family activities. For more information visit mcc.org/we-are-all-treaty-people

Do you know an 18- to 20-year-old seeking to grow in their faith and personal development? Encourage them to join Seek – a transformative six-month discipleship program designed to deepen their understanding of what it means to be an Anabaptist follower of Jesus in a complicated world. The next Seek cohort will be travelling to Cambodia in January 2026. Apply online today! mcc.org/seek

Sponsor an acre of Manitoba farmland and provide essential food to families across the world! Your sponsorship of Grow Hope acres in Manitoba can help equip farmers with access to tools and seeds for sustainable farming and provide essential food for families in vulnerable circumstances. Visit mcc.org/manitoba/GrowHope for more information and to donate!

Students, tell us how you're putting your passion for relief, development and peace into action, and you could receive a \$1,000 scholarship toward your ongoing studies. Visit mcc.org/Manitoba/scholarship for more information and to apply. Applications close Sept. 30.

Serve in the name of Christ with MCC. Call 204-261-6381 or visit mcc.org/manitoba and click "Volunteer in Manitoba" to see what opportunities are available today!

Join MCC's expanding team as Marketing and Communications Manager. Visit mcc.org/careers for the full description and to apply online before July 22.

MDS:

Volunteer with MDS to help wildfire evacuees in Manitoba. With a new provincial state of emergency called and more community evacuations in process, MDS is once again servicing a Canadian Red Cross reception centre in Winnipeg. Please contact Megan at mbwildfires@mds.org or call 1(866) 261-1274 to volunteer for a day or evening shift. More information is available at mds.org

Fall volunteer opportunity with MDS in Barrington, Nova Scotia! MDS is building a house for a wildfire survivor in this community. If you are interested and available to serve in September or October, contact the MDS Canada office at mdscanada@mds.org or 1(866) 261-1274 for more information.

Our July edition of On the Level is now available. In this edition, you'll read about Florence and Sheryl, longtime friends who cook together at MDS responses, and a couple in Constance Bay, who were affected by three floods in seven years. Read On the Level: <https://conta.cc/3TIJaad>

MCM:

Anabaptism at 500: Hymn Singing through the Centuries. All are invited to join the Bridgefolk Conference participants for a Hymn Sing at First Mennonite Church in Winnipeg, July 25th at 7:30 pm, led by Dr. Matthew Pauls and special musical guests. www.Bridgefolk.net

Mennonite Church Canada is seeking a full-time (1.0 FTE) Executive Coordinator to join our team at the national office in Winnipeg, MB. The anticipated start date is this fall. Applications will be reviewed starting July 11, 2025. For full details, please view the job description: <https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/employment>

Last call for health officers before we need to hire them. Camp Assiniboia needs health officers for Aug 4-8 and 10-15. Hiring is very expensive. Please contact the camp office at 204-895-2267 if you can help or know someone who can.

MDS volunteer opportunities open for helping at Leila Evacuation site, shifts: 8am-4pm or 4pm to Midnight. Donations of underwear (all sizes) and children's socks welcome. Contact volunteer coordinator at mbwildfires@mds.org

Western Canada Correspondent: Canadian Mennonite magazine is hiring a half-time correspondent to cover B.C., Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Applications are due by July 31. Spread the word. Details at <http://canadianmennonite.org/jobs>.

Bridgefolk Conference: Ecumenical Dialogue in an Age of Polarization. Registration is still open for this event! However, the last day to register for the meal package is July 11th. See www.Bridgefolk.net for more details.

Manitogan Chapel 65th Anniversary Celebration. August 2-3, 2025. Reminiscing/sharing, worship, and food. All are welcome to the celebration. For more info and schedule, and to register for the food, please visit www.mennochurch.mb.ca/events

Activ8. A faith, community, and service experience. We are looking for 3 to 4 more young adults to join this year's Activ8. In order for the program to move forward, we need to have that core number confirmed by August 1st. If you know someone who might be interested, please have them visit www.mennochurch.mb.ca/activ8 and simply start the application form.

CMU:

Xplore – CMU's Xplore extended education program investigates dimensions of the Christian faith, our world, and life in it—all without assignments or exams! Consider taking a course on depolarization, Anabaptists at 500, understanding Roman Catholicism, the book of Daniel, the book of Ruth and more. Courses begin September 23rd. Churches may consider hosting an Xplore watch party with people from your community. For course information and to register visit cmu.ca/xplore.

Join the CMU team – CMU invites inquiries and applications for a full-time, permanent Facilities Manager position. Other opportunities include Women's Volleyball Head Coach. Visit cmu.ca/employment for information on all employment opportunities.

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